

Delaware Department of Transportation
QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
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WASHINGTON STREET, NEW CASTLE
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Q #	Question	Answer
14	What is item 406002 used for on this contract? Is this for the water main work? Please clarify.	Item 406002 – Hot Mix Patching, Concrete is used to replace existing concrete pavement removed for the water main construction and repair existing concrete pavement joints within the project limits.
13	Have patching quantities been included to reflect all the hot mix that will be required for patching?	Yes.
12	Why isn't there patching hot mix items for all the hot mix patching that is required on this project?	Item 406002 – Hot Mix Patching, Concrete is included in the contract.
11	Does the contractor assume that the excavated material will be suitable for backfill for the water main and that if select borrow is required it will be paid for under item 210000?	Yes, the Contractor shall assume that excavated material will be suitable for backfill of the water main. Select borrow will not be required since the excavated material will be suitable.
10	Reference page 87 of the specs indicates that excavation of the water main will be in accordance with section 208. does this indicate the contractor will be paid under the 208000 item for the water main excavation?	Yes, excavation and backfill of the water main shall be paid for under Item 208000.
9	For Bid item 708538, how many 6" PVC laterals are required per unit? How many TY 1 Grates are required per unit? These TY1 grates will require a frame also, won't they? How many solid frames and grates are required per unit?	The DE Modular Sand Filter Detail shown on Sheet 36 details what is included with Item 708538 – Sand Filter. There are 15 Sand Filter units as described in the Sand Filter Schedule on Sheet 36. There are 4 grates and covers and the associated 6" PVC laterals (to the adjacent DI) incidental to each Sand Filter unit.
8	Where is the detail shown for bid item 705504 shown on the plans?	Item 705504 – Brick and/or Block Sidewalk shall be installed in accordance with the plans and specifications. Concrete base for brick sidewalks shall be 4" unless otherwise noted on the plans.
7	Reference PCC wall curb shown on plan sheet 37. Under what bid item is this curb paid for?	The PCC curb wall shall be paid for under Item 701010 – Portland Cement Concrete Curb, Type 1-8.

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6	Reference the temp boardwalk isometric view shown on Plan Sheet 49; when you refer to fence are you referencing the wood handrails that are shown in this detail? Is bid item 705528 just to furnish and install the ramp section of this detail shown?	The detail shown on Sheet 49 references wood handrails, according to the specification the Engineer shall approve the Temporary Fence and Boardwalk materials including the posts and methods of fabrication prior to installation. Item 705528 - Temporary Curb Ramps shall be installed in accordance with the plans and specifications.
5	Can the Department provide the Breakout Sheets in an electronic format (Excel)? There are 37 items in the sheet for Item 614508 and an Excel sheet would be helpful at bid time	No.
4	Where is the landscape planting, bid item 737523, shown on the contract drawings?	A landscape planting schedule is located on Sheets 16 and 17 of the construction plans.
3	The quantity for bid item 612529 pipe video inspection does not equal the lf of new storm sewer pipe installed. please clarify.	The quantity for Bid Item 612529 - Pipe Video Inspection is described on Sheet 4, Section 600, note #10 of the construction plans.
2	Does pipe run P-1 shown on plan sheet 15 require pipe bends?	Pipe Run P-1 shown on plan sheet 15 does not require pipe bends.
1	On the above aforementioned project the specifications notate item # 743002 as an Arrow Panel Type "B". Please advise where I may locate the item description on this equipment so I can be sure I am quoting accurate pricing. Or would an Arrow Panel Type "C" be	Please go to our site www.deldot.gov/ and under information click on publications, go to manuals and refer to the Standard Specifications 2001, Supplemental Specifications Additions and Revisions, 3/28/2012, number 743.01 Description.